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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1891.

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No. 2, Queen's Road, Hougkong. Hongkong, 31st March, 1891.

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CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED......\$1,000,000; The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISES at CURRENT RATES on GOODS

&c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. WOO LIN YUEN,

HEAD OFFICE. No. 2. QUEEN'S ROAD WASE, Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

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CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000, } \$833,333,33 EQUAL TO RESERVE FUND \$315,000.00

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THIS FIRST CLASS HOTEL, admirably, situated within a few minutes walk of the 'River Steamer Wharves,' is now open to receive

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enced hands. Wines, Spirits, Malt Liquors, etc., of the best

A WELL APPOINTED BILLIARD-ROOM A. F. DO ROZARIO. Manager. Liongkong, 1st September, 1891.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

TATE have this day established a BRANCH VV of our Firm in Amoy, and have authorised Mr. FRANCIS CASS to sign as Agent. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, 10th October, 1891.

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THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

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FEW HOUSES in KNUTSFORD TER-RACE containing 5 Rooms each and Bath-rooms. Tennis Courts. Healthy situation. Cheap Rent. Apply to

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BUNGALOW, "DELMAR," Yow-ma-tee. Apply to BELILIOS & Co. Hongkong, 12th October, 1801.

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Hongkong, 4th August, 1891.

Hongkong, 12th May, 1801.

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Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

SCRATCH COMPETITION for SPOONS will take place at Kowloon, at 800 and 900 yards, on SATURDAY, the 17th instant, at 2.45 p.m. Conditions to rounds and a sighting shot at each Range. Bisley (1890) positions and targets. ANDERSON.

Acting Hon. Secretary, Hongkong, 13th October, 1801.

NE BOX OF CLARKE'S B 41 PILLS is warranted to cure all discharges from the Urinary Organs, in either sex (acquired or constitutional). Gravel and Pains in the Back. Guaranteed free from Mercury. Sold in Boxes, is. 6d. each, by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the World. Proprietors: The Lincoln and Midland Counties Drug Company, Lincoln, England.

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c/o Hongkong Telegraph Office. Hongkong, 14th October, 1891.

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD.

REWARD of \$500 will be paid to any person supplying information that will lead to the discovery and identification of a Chinese girl named LI AFAT, who, in or about the month of September, 1888, was resident at St. Francis Street, Wanchal, in the house of JOHN MINHINNETT, an overseer in the Hongkong Public Works Department, under the protection of a Chinese kept woman named WONG AH

LI AFAT is about to years of age, and according to a declaration made by WONG AH NGAN at the Magistracy, she was returned to her mother about three years ago-presumably to some village in the Kwangtung Province, where it is stated she died a short time after-

On the other hand JOHN MINHINNETT deposed on cath in the Supreme. Court that LI MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken AFAT was sold by WONG AH NGAN and that at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the he was present in his own house when the purchase money was paid; and it has since been reported that the girl was taken to Singapore for

A Reward of \$250 will be paid to any person who shall produce reliable evidence, showing that LI AFAT was returned to her mother, in or about September, 1888, and afterwards died as alleged.

Apply to THE EDITOR. The Hongkong Telegraph. Houghour, 30th August, 7801.

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R. WONG TAIFONG Surgeon Dentist. (Formerly articled Apprentice, and latterly assistant to Dr. ROGERS); HAS REMOVED

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Hongkong, 26th September, 1891.

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Sweet Lavender Stephanotis Mignonette

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Hangkang, 15th October 1801

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Hongkong, 28th August, 1891.

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(ALL SHADES).

STRAW AND Hongkong, 5th June, 1891.

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DANCING PUMPS, New Style with Silk tops W. BREWER.

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Agents issuing the Loan,

F. DE BOVIS. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 14th October, 1885.

Intimations

CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT

SILVER LOAN OF 1884, C.

4TH DRAWING.

INTEREST DUE and DRAWN BONDS of

of the Corporation, on and after the 15th

Lists of Drawn Bonds can be obtained on

this LOAN will be payable at the Offices

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY THE drill season of the above Corps will

commence on the 16th October. Surgeon CANTLIE will attend at Head Quarters. EVERY FRIDAY EVENING at 6 o'clock to inspect any gentleman wishing to join.

Intending 'members on passing medical FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA, recruit drill at once.

Any one who has previously been an efficient member of a Volunteer Corps will not be required to dell until November, but it will be to the on TUESDAY, the 20th inst., at Noon, instead advantage of all such new members to enroll as of as previously advertised. early as possible.

Expresses of Drills, etc., will be issued. By Order,

W. C. A. NICHOLSON, Lient R.A. Adjutant, Hongkong Volunteer Artillery. Head Quarters, Hongkong, 12th October, 1801.

AMBULANCE CLASS. TEMBERS of this class will attend the VI following drills, ordered by Surgeon

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY

CANTLIE :--Saturday, 17th instant, at 5 p.m. Monday. Wednesday, 21st Friday, 23rd

Preparatory to inspection by H.E. the Major General Commanding, at 4 o'clock SATURDAY the 24th Instant. Uniform for Saturday, the 24th instant, Blue Serge and Helmets.

W. C. A. NICHOI SON, Lt. R.A., Adjutant, H.K. V.A. Hengkong, 14th October, 1801.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

By Order.

DIVIDEND of Six Dollars and Fifty cents. per Share for the year 1890 will be PAYABLE on MONDAY, the 12th instant. Warrants may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date.

By Order of the Board, W. J. SAUNDERS, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 10th October, 1801.

HONGKONG FOOTBALL CLUB. THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, for the purpose of receiving the Committees" Report for the last season and Electing the Committee and Officers of the Club for the ensuing season, will be held in the Cricket Club Pavilion, on FRIDAY, the 23rd October, a

W. H. WALLACE, Hon, Secretary. Hongkong, 7th October, 1801.

BOARD AND LODGING. TTACANCIES for GENTLEMEN , BOARDERS, at 79, Wyndham Street.

MRS. SWANSTON. Hongkong, 10th September, 1201 A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

TO AERATED WATER MANUFAC-TURERS AND OTHERS. TOTICE is hereby given that all AERATED , WATER BOTTLES and SYPHONS bearing the Company's Name and Trade Mark are its property solely, and that any Manufacturer using the same or any Person, or Persons other than the Customers of the Firm found in possession of the same will be proceeded against

as the law directs. ... A. H. MANCELL. Hongkong, 18th August, 1801.

NOTICE. TROM the 1st of November next, the SHANGHAI BUTCHERY will be prepared to supply BRAWN, LARD in BLADDERS, Fresh and Pickled ENGLISH PORK, SAUSAGES,

BEEF in Joints and corned. BLACK PUD-DINGS, Pork and Game PIES,

Shanghai, 8th October, 1891.

Vung chung & co. (與順海上), from Shanghal, are prepared to undertake CONTRACTS and JOBS for PAINTING,

POLISHING, DECORATING and all descrip-tions of ORNAMENTAL WORK in Houses, also for making CABINETS and FRENCH POLISHING FURNITURE, and solicit the kine patronage of the Public. All Orders will be promptly, faithfully and satisfactorily executed. Best Materials and Superior First-class Workmanship in neat and best style guaranteed. No. 15, Wellington Street. Hongkong, 1st October, 1891.

JOHN AMBROSE CLARKE, Teacher of Officers and Engineers, No. 75, WYMDHAM STREET, Opposite Central Police Station.

MANDIDATES prepared for the MARINE BOARD EXAMINATIONS. Anthor of the "New Navigation Simplified." And an " Artikmette" for Engineers, \$5. Masters instructed in the use of the "Doylas-

Hongkong, 7th February, 1891.

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAM-SHIP COMPANY,

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI. THE Company's Steamship

"FORMOSA,"

Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 16th instant, at Daylight,

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. General Managers.

Handkong, 13th October, 1801. FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Steamship

"GUY MANNERING," Captain Ford, will sail for the shove Port on or about the 18th October, instead of as previously

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 12th October, 1801. "UNION" LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "COLLINGHAM." Captain Watson, will be despatched as above

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, 15th October, 1801.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE., PENANG, COLOMBO, HOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE & FIUME. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LYVANT, and ADRIATIC PORTS.)

THE Company's Steamship

"ORION." Captain A. Orlando, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 22nd inst., at Noon. Cargo will not be received on board after 3 P.M. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and

Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 5th October, 1801.

PORTLAND LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HONOLULU, VICTORIA, B.C., AND PORTLAND (OREGON) VIA TAPAN PORTS. (Taking through Cargo to PACIFIC COAST PORTS, also to INLAND and ATLANTIC CITIES, connecting at PORTLAND with the OREGON

RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COMPANY, and UNION PACIFIC RAILWAYS).

THE Steamship "ZAMBESI," Captain Edwards, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 22nd inst,, at 3 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 13th October, 1801.

FOR NEW YORK (VIA SUEZ CANAL). THE Steamship "HANKOW,"

Captain West, will be despatched as above

on or about WEDNESDAY, the 28th October, For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, 14th October, 1891.

Tonsianees. "Mogul" line of steamers.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES, S.S. "HAVERTON," FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, AND

SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed

that all goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. "Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon. No claims will be admitted after the Goods

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th just, will be subject All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 18th instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Hongkong, 11th October, 1801. Masonic.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Ca.



No. 1165, E.C.

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in FREEMASOMS! HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY, the soth Hongkong, 8th October, 1891.

OF INSTRUCTION. REGULAR MEETING of the above The named Lodge will be held in the FREEMA SOME HALL; Zetland Street, on THURSDAY,

the 22nd lustant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely.
Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong Sth October, 1891.

Intimations.

DAKIN'S PURE VOLATILE EUCALYPTUS OIL.

DISTILLED FROM THE LEAVES OF SELECTED SPECIES OF THE EUCALYPTUS.

TUCALYPTUS OIL has long taken to foremost place as a "household remedy in Australia. When applied externally it has t powerful stimulating and soothing action, but does not blister the most sensitive skin, and no application known will so quickly subdue the pain of muscular rheumatism.

Taken internally in small doses, it acts as a powerful stimulant and antipasmodic, whilst its

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" It is also a most powerful antiseptic and germicide, being three times as effectual as Carbolic Acid in preventing development of Bacteria, its uses in this direction being very numerous.

The active properties of the Oil depend upon a Terpene called Eucalyptol, and we guarantee this Oil, prepared especially for us, to contain the largest obtainable percentage of Eucalyptol and twice that of the ordinary Eucalyptus Oil of

It can be used with great benefit in all Throat and Lung Affections, and its sedative stimulating properties in the it an involumble application in louralgia, Rheum iti.m. Sc. whilst its powerful antiseptic and germicide action is well exhibited as a dressing in Wounds, Ulcers, Burns, Scalds, Sores, Ringworm, &c.

Dak'n's specially refined Oil is sold, in or, and 4 or, bottles at cts. 50 and \$1.00. Full Directions for use enclosed with each CAUTION.

Inferior samples of Eucalyptus Oil distilled from any kind of Eucalyptus leaf have little or no medical action and should be carefully Nos. 22 & 24. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

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SEASON 1891-92.

PER S.S "SHANGHAL,"

WE have received our second supplies of

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS,

and we are now executing all orders for the same. Complete Catalogues with concise directions for sowing can be obtained on application, or will be posted to any address. In these Catalogues the Seeds are Marginally Numbered in English and Chinese, and when ordering it is quite sufficient to state the numbers of the kinds

N.B. All Seeds are tested on arrival before

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Orders from one person, of from \$5 to \$10, allowed as o/a discount.

Orders from one person, over \$10 allowed an extra 5 0/0 discount.

Narcissus Bulbs (The Chinese Spring Flower) A supply just received from the North. Early application is requested.

CLAY'S FERTILIZER.

A high class fertilizer for pot plants and for use in the garden generally : it supplies natural nourishment to the soil, and assists the process of assimilation, Tthereby aiding the plants to attain to their full size, vigour and beauty.

Sold in Tins containing 10h each\$1.50. . 28D ., 4.00. Directions for use are given on the label.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

Hongkong, 26th September, 1891.

Hongkong, Thursday, October 15, 1891.

TELEGRAMS

SPORTING NEWS.

The Lancashire Plate of 12,000 sove, distance seven furlongs, run for at Manchester on Sept, 26th resulted as follows :--Chevaller Ginistrelli's br. f. Signorina, by St.

Simon-Star of Portici, 4 yes., 9st. 13lb... Duke of Westminster's b. c. Orme, by Ormonde-Angelics, 2 yrs., 7st. 9lb.,... 2 fond of her; you will spoil her." Mr. Douglas Baird's b. c. Mortagon, by Bend Or-Tiger Lily, 4 yrs., 9st. 9lb...... 3

MR. GLADSTONE AT NEWCASTLE.

LONDON, October 5th. The irecdom of the city of Newcastle has been conferred on the Right Hon'ble W. E. Gladstone M.P. In a speech, returning thanks for this honour, Mr. Gladstone urged that there was great necessity to adhere to free trade principles. THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK

OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA. October 6th.

The report of the Chartered Mercantile Bank states that it has been-found necessary to make further provision to meet losses in the Straits Settlements and failures in the Eastern trade, The Bank is therefore unable to pay a dividend for the past half year, and it is also necessary to take £125,000 from the reserve fund to provide for these losses. The shures of the Bank have fallen La 10/1:

THE FAMINE IN RUSSIA.

October 7th. There is a general abnegation among all ranks of society in St. Petersburg, in order that the savings may be given to those persons suffering from famine.

BALFOUR TO LEAD THE COMMONS. October 19th.

The suggested appointment of Mr. Balfour to the leadership of the House of Commons receives the support of the Convervative papers.

THE RUSSIAN LOAN SHAKY. The time of application for the Russian loan has been extended one week.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

M. D'ENNERY, the French dramatic author, has written 200 plays. He is now a cheerful old man of eighty.

THE Band of the A. and S. Highlanders will play in the Public Gardens, on Monday, the 19th inst., commencing at 8.30 till 10 p.m.

THE number of divorces annually granted in the United States is greater than the sum of the Christian world, Protestant, Catholic, or Greek.

An emergency meeting of the "Ararat "Lodge of Royal Ark Mariners, will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zetland Street, this evening, at 8.30 for o o'clock precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially that I never make them; fact is, you can't see

THE little King of Spain does not know his letters yet, and all mental education has been forbidden him. He is so fragile and puny physically, that the slightest exertion of the mind fatigues bim.

PRISONER—" Would your Wuship mind hurryin up my case a bit? It's nearly twelve o'clock and if I am going up for a spell of "hard." I like to get inside in time for dinner." Six months, without the option.

MR. WILLARD'S Opera Company performed Planquette's comic opera "Rip Van Winkle" to a rather small audience at the Theatre Royal City Hall, last night. To-night Sydney Grandy' great farcical comedy "Arabian Nights " will be

·A GOA correspondent states that the proceedings against the leaders of the Loyalia party, charged with sedition and murder in connection with the the fatal election disturbances last. September, were annulled on Sept. 19th by a full bench of him.". the Goa High Court.

THE depression in Deli is so great, says the Penang Gasette that some 20,000 coolies have been thrown out of employment, and this fact is looked upon in so serious a light that the authorities are refusing permission to natives to land until they have satisfactorily shown that they are not likely to become paupers at large.

PROBABLY the most remarkable railroad in the world is that running from Gloggints to Lournering, near Vienna. It is only twenty-five miles in length, but cost \$0,000,000. It begins at an elevation of 1,400 feet, and has its terminus at 17.000 feet. It has fifteen double viaducts, seventeen tunnels, and crosses itself nine times.

WE have, says the New York World, about ten millions of people in this country who work very hard, but seldom get a square meal, and we have also foreign capitalists owning over \$10,000,000,000 worth of our industries. Where is the man to publicly assert that conditions such as these are healthy and desirable in a

"PAPA," inquired a Congressman's little daughter over a French lesson, "what is the French for a battle-horse " A war-horse you mean don't you? "I guess so, Papa." "Of course, you do, daughter. The French for that is hors du combat," and the member stroked hi whiskers with prideful dignity and went on with his newspaper.

A CLERGYMAN in England, pleading earnestly with his parishioners for the construction of cemetery for their parish, asked them to consider the "deplorable condition of 30,000 Englishmen living without Christian burial." Still more curious was another clerical alip. A gentleman said to a minister: "When do you expect to see Deacon S. again ?" "Never," said the reverend gentleman, solemnly, "the deacon is in Heaven."

THERE was a little mild excitement at the Police Court this morning. A scalaring man named John Wyatt, a lineal descendant of the patriot of old, had been carrying his ideas of liberty too far in the Sallors' Home last night, and was to-day classed as a common d. and d. He was sentenced to 14 days in the Tower, and on his way from the Court passed within reach of the Sailors' Home watchman. To get even, John attacked him violently, and was immediately brought back into the dock and awarded six weeks longer.

A YOUNG woman with delicious blue eyes and brown hair said that " love was heavenly," but then she had only been engaged tweaty-four hours, and her experience was limited to a solitaire diamond ring and a bunch of orchids, A little woman who had been married eight years, and who was the proud possessor of two pairs of twins, announced "that love was all very well in its way, and that the first year or two of your married life you were always devotedly found of Charley, but when it came to real satisfaction give her bables ! " A man about sixty, who really knew what he was talking about, said "that fove was like champagneevery fresh glass seemed the best;" while a bachelor of forty five said. "You know it's very nice to have a little woman fond of you and all cities are to be incorporated in the Paris system, cient and satisfactory footing has become urgent. Despatch of 7th July, 1891, as well as a copy of hardest to sell portions of the concession and with that sort of thing, but never allow yourself to get | which is to be gradually extended until the entire

THE orders of the day at the meeting of the Sanitary Board to be held to-morrow at 4.15 p.m. are as follow---.

Dr. Cantlie will move.—That the Board, in accordance with the information conveyed in the report of the Government Analyst as to the condition of the Tal-tam and Pok-fu-lam waters, make the following recommendations:---

. A .- That the Tai-tam waterworks be supplied with pipes whereby the water from the streams can be carried directly into the conduit as in the case of the Pok-fu-lam works. B.—That sand of a quality such as the

Government Analyst recommends be obtained for the filter-beds. C.—That the Tal-tam service reservoir be Covered over as early as possible.

Secretary transmitting Analyst's report on the crushing at the mines of the Penjom Pahang mation and "urning" of the bones, I have whitish appearance of the Tai-tam and Pok-fu. Mining Co. What quantity of stone was not ceased to use my best endeavours to His Excellency replied to No. 12 and No. 12 for better times in the Malsy Peninsula when 3. Mortality Returns for the wacks ended the | certainly encouraging, and a few tous up to this | the Chinese towns and villages on our borders, | a similar question. and noth October. 1801. A. Application to sample would be very welcome. It is to be which has increased with the diminution of the Registrar General laid on the table bye Government and thus relieve the company from erect Water-closets in a private residence. Si hoped that there is some more where that came where the Gambling laws for regulating commenced by the Gambling laws for regulating commenced the payment of helf the annual tax for prospects. Monthly and Quarterly Reports.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Thibet left Bombay yesterday morning for this port.

Mr. Jiggles-May I escort you home? Miss Miggles-No, I thank you. My chair coolies get frightened at little things !

A REGULAR Convocation of Cathay Chapter, No. 1165, will be held in the Freemasons' Hall. Zetland Street, on Monday, the 26th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting companions are cordially invited.

MACADAM, the inventor of the famous road that bears his name, laboured for years to perfect his ideas, and although the British Parliament voted him £6000, that amount hardly govered his outlay. Macadam's -- monument-is-the-roads- of-Great

She-"Did you enjoy your life at Oxford?" He-"Not altogether," She-"Why not !"

He-"One of my professors used to have habit of making jokes, and we were all of us afraid of being suspended if we didn't laugh."

"FAIRPLAY" says that as soon as the Russian State Council meets again, a bill will be laid before it for the creation of a new line of cargo and passenger steamers which shall carry the mails between Russian and India, China, Tapan and Eastern Siberia. The Company to be formed will have a capital of ten million roubles.

Blaks.—Can't honestly say I ever heard you (Score .-- One to Blnks. make any lokes. Jinks.—Not my fault, my dear fellow. 'Tisn't One to links. Binks.—Quite true, I can't; too microscopic

aren't they? Two to Binks, and the rubber. SAID the late Dr. Magee, Archbishop of York:once heard of an ill-paid minister who went to his deacon to solicit an increase of salary "Salary i" said the descon, "I thought you worked for souls?" "So I do," replied the poor man, "but I cannot eat souls: and if I could.

make a dish ! " THE latest London dodge for getting cheap liquor is to order your favourite tipple, empty a white powder into it, drink four-fifths of it at one gulp, and then commence bidding earth farewell At this stage the publican, fearing you'll die of polson on the premises and bring his extra-mile into disrepute, fires you out on the way to the next pub., forgetful of your indebtedness.

would take a good many souls of your size to

A.: Do you think it is possible to tell a man's character by his handwriting?" B.: - Oh, yes. I judged Brown's character correctly by his handwriting long before I saw

A.;—"Indeed!" B.:—"Yes, I saw it several times on I. O. U.'s and notes of hand."

ANTOINETTE STERLING, the well-known contralto, has lately joined, the Quakers, and created an unusual sensation at a meeting at Leytonstone the other day. After the meeting had sat for a long time without the spirit moving any one to speak, Mme. Sterling got up and sang. Singing is unheard of in Quakers' meetings, but she sang "Rest in the Lord" without interruption. Afterward one of the elders approached her and said: "Thee knowest, sister, that it is against

comes the Chinese "tael "and then the Austrian double thaier.

LIFE WOULD BE MERRIER. If love were not blind. If we were all satisfied If envy were unknown. If creed did not foster faction. If good cooks were more numerous. If livers never got out of order.

If worth were put above wealth. If duty were worshipped like beauty, If politics conferred honors instead of spoils If there were more laughter and less sighing If dyspensia had been omitted from the list of

If bables slept quietly until the walking and talking period. If thieves could be convinced that they will surely be found out.

ALTHOUGH the streets of Paris are the best in the world, and cheap cabs and a multitude of omnibuses furnish fairly rapid transit in that city, the local authorities have at length decided to construct a system of city railways to run underground on the Greathead system, constituting a sort of belt line to encircle the most populous portion of the French metropolis. All the best features that have been discovered and introduced after years of experimenting in other area of the French metropolis shall have been public will be satisfied with nothing less than the best, and would not be likely under any merely to secure speed.

THE Singapore Free Press of the 6th inst, has | but the need for an efficient system of Volunteers the following: -" At the office of Messrs. Becher, is still great. With regard-to the question of Louis & Co., D'Almeida Street, may be seen affording further space for the interment of certain gold bars which are the latest results. Chinese which has occupied the attention of the of the mines at Ketchan and Punjoin. Three Government for some time past, and at which from a small parcel of picked stone, weighing General himself since his return from leave, a trifle under one cwt., taken from a rich have worked with much energy, it has at shoot in the workings at Ketchau. Another last been found possible to devise means to bar of gold, weighing close on 114 oz., and carry out this very necessary object by Agenda .- I, Letter from Honourable Colonial worth about \$2200, is the result of the last reverting to the Chinese practise of exhu-

THE steamer Namehow of Penang, well known in the local coasting trade, has been sold to Messrs. Wee Bin & Co. of Singapore for

An amusing incident occurred at the Naval Exhibition in London on the 9th September, the German waiters refusing to wait upon members of the English Press, who, they said, had attacked them. The German would-be boycotters were dismissed and paid off on the spot. Is there not a moral in this little incident, with a distinctly suggestive local application?

MEETING OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL-

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held bis afternoon. There were present :-- H. E Major-General Digby Barker, Officer Administering the Government, Mr. W. M. Goodman Acting Colonial Secretary); Mr. A. J. Leach Acting Attorney-General); Mr. F. A. Cooper Acting Surveyor-General); Mr. J. H. Stewart-Lockhart (Registrar-General); Mr. N. G Mitchell-Innes (Colonial Treasurer): Messrs J. J. Keswick, P. Ryrie, T. H. Whitehead, and

Mr. Cooper took the oath and his seat as Acting Surveyor General.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

OPENING THE BALL His Excellency's address to the Council was as follows:-Honourable Gentlemen.-We meet again to-day to resume a our common inbours in the interests of this Colony, and though the time is probably short during which I shall retain the privilege of co-operating with you, there are several measures demanding early consideration which I hope we may succeed in passing and, in doing so, further the good of this community. Council, and, I feel sure the community at large, will regret with me the sad death of one of our members who has been so suddenly out off in the midst of his career. In the late Surveyor General the Colony possessed a zealous and hard-working official, and his kindness of heart secured for him the friendship of many during his | Works, now estimated to amount for the year to comparatively brief connection with Hongkong. Since we last met a change has taken place in revenue for the current year is now estimated at the Governorship, and I think that you will all \$2,039,042 or an increase of over \$27,000 on that agree with me that in losing Sir William Des of the year 1890. It has been advocated for Vœux this Colony has lost the able services of one who was thoroughly imbued with the desire to promote the best interests of the Colony, and who achieved at least as large a measure of success in that direction as any of his predecessors required to contribute, e.g. the New Central -If not larger. You all join with me, I know, Market, the New Gaol, New Roads, &c., a Loan in hoping that the change to an invigorating | should be raised, and the Secretary of State for climate will restore to him that health the failure the Colonies has intimated his readiness to of which unfortunately compelled him to relinquish this Government. Of the measures I fully considered the matter with this result to which I have alluded a few have already been The cost of the Public Works which are likely

the rules, but if the Lord telleth thee to sing, thee to amaignmente. That Bill will therefore be The returns of shipping for the past nine months Ir has been demonstrated that coffee has disin- two matters—a course which will. I hope, in the shipping trade, the returns being the fectant properties and is very effective in killing | facilitate the .rapid passing of both measures | largest yet made since the colony has been in fever germs. Dr. Luderitz, who has paid close | which it is important should become law at an | existence, and the total of arrivals and deparattention to the subject, did not use strong early date. I have every reason to hope that if tures having exceeded by a million tons the effusions, but found that a certain harmless the Government is supported in its efforts to corresponding figures for 1889, yet the arrivals micrococcus germ died in a 10 per cent coffee stop the smuggling of prepared oplum into this in Ocean trade alone during the first place solution in from three to five days. The bacillus | Colony, the revenue on this head will not only | months of this year have exceeded those of the of typhold fever perished in from one to three | be maintained but may be largely increased. | corresponding period of 1890 by 86 ships with a days under coffee influence, and the choices The Ordinance to amend the law relating to registered tonnage of 134.545 tons. bacillus in from three to four hours. The germ | Bankruptcy passed its second reading as long | revenue already yearly increasing and likely to of anthrax or splenic fever died in from two to ago as last. December. It has since received increase. I therefore think it well to three hours, but the spores of young forms of the the careful consideration of the Law Committee postpone action in this direction. In conclulatter germs perished in from two to four weeks to whom it was referred, and is now ready to be slop. I congratulate you on such trustworthy A NUMISMATIST states that the largest gold coin | time at our last meeting, will doubtless have | as by the remarkable results of the Census to now in circulation is said to be the gold ingot, received during the recess the close attention of which I previously invited your attention. May or "loof," of Annam. It is a flat round gold those who are specially affected by its our efforts in this Council be always aimed at piece, and on it is written in Indian provisions; and as it is important that no more and be successful in securing, a continued ink its value, which is about \$220. The delay than is necessary should take place increased of that prosperity and the welfare of next sized coin to this valuable but extremely in passing it, it will be placed before you all. awkward one is the "obang" of Japan, which is again immediately. Of the Bills which worth about \$55; and next comes the "benda" have been prepared to be brought before The Colonial Secretary laid on the table under license and the places at which they work of Ashantee, which represents a value of about you perhaps none is more desirable in the despatches referring to the Military Contribution are visited to see the extent and character of the \$49. "The California \$50 gold piece is worth | commercial interests of the Colony than the about the same as the "benda." The heaviest | Chinese Emigration Consol.dation Ordinance. allyer coin in the world also belongs to Annam. The continuous flow of emigration through this where the silver ingot is worth about \$15; then Colony is a large factor in the prosperity of the

Port, and it is to be regretted that it has been late. I am informed by Officers of the Government who have given attention to the subject, that this is in a large extent due to the absence of satisfactory arrangements for the proper treat-China. The measure which will be placed before put the following: you has as its object the improvement of the | 9. Will the Government lay on the table a | interest, and the frequent walks to Gubau over kong of the London Missionary Society. 3. An execution of work on any sections other than to the inefficiency of the mill but Ordinance to amend the Building Ordinance. 4. I those now in hand, and if not, is it intended to results are obtained from the crushings. Mr. A St. John's Church Ordinance for providing for proceed with any other sections within the Phillips now the oldest employee of the company, the future maintenance and administration of ensuing year. of the colony being now practically completed slasm has recently flagged. The difficulties in pointment of a Chinese Consul for this Colony assist in the London market. Mr. Hardle wilk arranging for the promised reinforcement of had been withdrawn. will soon be completed to its full establishment,

representations have been met by the Chinese authorities with a laudable desire to co-operate, and stringent measures have been taken by them to attain the desired object, but I regret to say that the main difficulty in totally suppressing the cvil there, arises from the shelter and facilities afforded to the gambiers by the neighbourhood of Hongkong and the easy means of transport. The earnest attention of the Government is being directed to this phase of the matter. On the other hand it may interest you to learn that from a report furnished me by the Police Magistrate, the effect of the new Gambling Ordinance here has been most sailsfactory, as evidenced not only by the total suppression of the gambling houses but by the

consequent diminution of all classes of crime. His Excellency then referred to several minor matters, at some length, and proceeded :-A detailed statement of all the works which it is proposed to undertake in the ensuing year wil shortly be submitted to you in connection with the estimates. I have, in consultation with the Executive Council, been recently considering the method by which the licensing of Jinrickshan has hitherto been conducted, and a change is in contemplation by which, I believe, not only wil considerable improvement be introduced into the vehicles themselves and the regulation of their traffic but a considerable increase to the revenue will result, while the interest existing licensees will be duly protected The Estimates for the coming year are in an advanced state of preparation and will be shortly laid before you. Ithink I may say that the financial position of the Colony is hopeful as indicated by the statistics which they will afford, WYou will learn with satisfaction that as far as can be foreseen at present the ordinary Revenue of the current year together with Premia on Land sales will fully realize the original estimate, while the probable expenditure (ordinary and extraordinary) will fall short of the estimated sum by about \$200,000. The originally estimated deficit, on the year, of \$457,000 is therefore reduced to \$250,000, a sum which so far as present estimates show can be defrayed out of existing balances It is a matter of congratulation that not only has the revenue of the year thus been sufficient to cover the ordinary expenditure, including the increased Military Contribution both for this year and last year, and the increased salaries but also to leave a balance of \$250,000 towards defraying the cost of Extraordinary Public \$500,000. I should mention that the probable considerable time past that, in view of the large number of Public Works in progress or immediate contemplation, to the cost of which I future residents in the Colony might be fairle consider the question. I have therefore under your consideration, others have been to be urgently required to be constructed during prepared and will be immediately introduced. I the next five years may be roughly estimated while some are still in course of preparation. I at two million and a half of dollars, or ar As regards the Oplum Ordinance, which was expenditure of \$500,000 a year, which is also read a first time short before our vacation. I have ascertained, about the limit which the circumstances have since shown the desirability Public Works Department have on the average of continuing to keep separate as heretofore the the means of carrying out, though for various law as regards Raw and Piepared Oplum reasons it is often necessary to exceed that respectively, which it was proposed by the Bill total in estimating for the year's services withdrawn and two new Ordinances will be at show a satisfactory progress. Although last once introduced dealing separately with these year was phenomenal in the activity displayed dealt with by you, The Merchant Shipping evidence of the increasing prosperity of this

Consolidation Bill, which was read a second colony, as is furnished by these statistics as well

us. but is valuable in as much as it advances the MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS. and to the Chinese Consul for Hongkong, and a I ground being moved; they also count as number of financial minutes which were referred employees of the company. I may mention the to the Finance Committee.

report of the Law Committee on the Bankruptcy | \$2,256. Owing to ill health Mr. Hardie has been from various circumstances so much checked of Bill; 1891, and gave notice of his intention to granted leave of absence, he has taken over move the third reading of it.

several standing committees. ment of Emigrants from the time of their leaving | questions standing in his name, in consideration | ness man which any mining company, needs at their native homes to the time of their return to of the sad death of the Surveyor General, and I its head; I can personally testify to the energy

status of the Emigrant, so far as the Govern- statement shewing ; (1) The amount of monles I the extremely arduous path with the anxieties ment of this Colony can improve it, and it is received from Marine Lot holders and others on of the financial situation of the company have hoped that, by placing Emigration on a satis- account of the Praya Reclamation Fund 1, (9) undermined a paturally strong constitution. factory footing, it will benefit the Commerce Mode of investment of the fund; (1) The While absent, Mr. Blamey takes charge of all the Port. Other measures which will payments thereout to 30th ultimo and on what our operations, and he has now an Australian be brought before you are :- 1. A Patent specific accounts, particularizing :- a. Payments miner lately engaged at Raub to assist him. Ordinance for amending the Law relating to to Contractor's & Payments for plant, materials, Mr. Ellerton during Mr. Becher's absence has the grant in this colony of Letters Patent &c.; also a detailed report shewing the progress | charge of Jalis and of the stores and funds for Inventions. 2. An Ordinance for the of and the actual condition of the work, and will issue to Mr. Blamey as needs be. Incorporation of the Senior Missionary in Hong- To. Have contracts been entered into for the The Jalis mine is being worked, but ewing

the Cathedral, consequent upon the abolition of . II. Will the Government lay on the table a worthy servant. I very much regret that the the post of Colonial Chaplain and the altered copy of Lord Knutsford's, Despatch of 26th preference shares were not fully taken up, it; status of the Church of England in this colony. March, 1891, to His Excellency Governor Sir would have strengthened our hands very consi-5. A Volunteer Ordinance. The desence works | William des Vœux in connection with the derably in dealing with the London Company ... appointment of a Chinese Consul in Hongkong.] as Gubau has paid nearly all our expenses. We and armed, the question of increasing the force and a copy of Governor Sir Wm. des Voeux's have still about \$20,653 left. There are heavy. of Volunteers and placing them on a more effi- reply thereto, also a copy of Lord Knutsford's expenses however due as we are trying our In machine Guns ordered from England have | His Lordship's Despatch confirming his telegram I that view Messra, John Taylor & Sons will, when arrived, and I shall have to invite the revival of to His Excellency The Officer Administering the called upon, report upon Gubau. Their report traversed. This will be an exceedingly interesting the interest of the residents in the Colony in the Government received here on 18th July last, we hope will be of great value; as their reputation experiment in rapid transit, since the Parisian | matter of auxiliary defence, about which enthu- intimating that the proposed probationary ab- is of the highest, and if favorable will materially

circumstances to sacrifice cleanliness and comfort | regular troops have now been got over, and --- 12. Will the Government lay on the table a no lime to dispose of the undoubtedly good thing there is every reason to believe that the Garrison | copy of any correspondence which may have | we possess, and which unfortunately for want of been received from the Right Honourable the funds, we cannot work ourselves. With regard Secretary of State for the Colonies in connection to future proceedings with the London Company, with the Protest of the Un-official Members of I would ask you to simply wait. We wish to this Honourable Council against the action of His Excellency Governor Sir Wm. des Voeux in issuing his warrant without the authority of this bars of gold, weighing close on 200 oz. the present Colonial Treasurer, while acting Council on the 21st February, 1891, for the payand worth about \$5000, have been got as Registrar General, and the Registrar ment of the equivalent of £20,000 sterling shareholders to re-constitute or invigorate additional Military Contribution exacted from the company. It is a very important thing this Colony for the year 18go.

> referring to question of the threath and The Acting Surveyor General replied to No. | very long With regard to Sunghie Dua, no to that no arrangement had been made.

lam waters. 2. Report having reference to the put through the mill to produce this bar has induce the High Chinese Authorities of the by referring to despatches already laid on the we might be able to get some party to take over unhealthiness of a School-house at Stanley, not yet been stated. But the Ketchau find is neighbouring Province to suppress gambling in table, and to a previous answer given by him to lour concession. It may be advisable after this

Ordinance which you recently proped. My that they be adopted. India The disection of gold tan has to be

The Colonial Secretary seconded the motions which was carried.

NEW BILLS.

The Prepared Opium Bill and the Raw Opium Bill were read a first time, and by suspension of the standing orders also passed the second reading after some discussion. The Council adjourned for a week.

PUNIOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY.

The sixth ordinary meeting of shareholders in this Company was held at noon to-day. There were present Mr. Orange (Chairman). Mesars. David Gillies, T. E. Davies, M. M. da Roza. Daver, Gaskell, Lyall, Terry, Johnson, G. Holmes, A. E. Skeels, T. W. Smith, G. Fenwick, Twingeman, A. S. Cohen, Bomanjee, Schwencke, and A. O'D. Gourdin, Secretary.

The Chairman, is proposing the adoption of the report, said : - Gentlemen, you have had the report for the half year ending March 31st for some time in your possession, and with your permission I will take it as read. This meeting has been delayed in consequence of my visit to Pahang, and with regard to that visit I must say that I think it is of great importance that some member of the Board should periodically visit so important an undertaking as the operations at Punjom. Mr. Brodie was the first member of the Board who had visited the mine, and his visit resulted in the extension of the concession being granted to the Company. Such inspection is of great assistance to the local managers, as there are of necessity many questions which arise and which only a possession of local knowledge can. settle, and it establishes a better feeling between the employees and the Company's Direction. The affairs of the London Company have not improved, though the Jalis mine has decidedly advanced; and there are now about 750 yards of levels, and 300 feet of shafts sunk, and work has been kept going with as much energy as their funds would allow. The new Robey engine has been erected and set to work. Mr. Becher has bad an allowance of £400 per month only, and has advanced himself further funds to presecute the work more briskly. During September 335 tons of quartz were crushed at Jalls producing 97 ounces of buillon, or about 6 dwts, per ton exclusive of Concentrates; this being about as much as is usually obtained from one ounce stone. Mr. Becher has left Singapore for London to personally urge on the Puniom Company the necessity for providing funds to improve the mill, and to vigorously work the mine, and it only shows the utter stagnation of the Pabang market when such difficulty arises to raise funds for a mine which has such a large reserve of crushing stuff absolutely in sight, and only requiring stoping. In the meantime our interests are safe in the hands of Messis. Ewart and Brodle, and at any rate the money spent at Jalis is improving the mine. The debt due to us by the London Company is now about \$52,222, and its increase has been principally due to the taking over of plant, and not by advances of money. Our news with regard to Gubau is more cheering, and we must congratulete ourselves on the good fortune we have had in securing the services of Mr. Blamey, who has shown himself a very capable and practical man. Since writing the report news has come from Gubau of the discovery of good quartz stuff in the Intermediate tunnel, and I regard this as very important, as it is of the greatest importance that besides the auriferous deposits we should prove a reef, and we are now working with that object. Washing is being continued, but I must repeat what I said in my report vis. the extreme patchiness of the ground so that the extraordinary yield already gained may not be repeated; still I am confident that we shall at any rate pay expenses; which will be for the first time in the history of the company. It may be interesting to learn the amount obtained by this company exclusive of Jalis :-Oz. Dwts. Grains.

From Gubau327 2 18 \$8,294.26

Bought from alluvial workers245 14 20 \$14,017.0g. . This latter produce yields but little profit to

knowledge of our concession as the men work I last shipment of rough gold from Gubau yielded The Attorney General laid on the table the 1732-5th per cent. bullion and realized about specimens and full details and reports to His Excellency under regulation 48 appointed Australia with the view of a sale of the Gubau or other portions of the concession. We cannot Mr. Whitehead begged to withdraw eight speak too highly of Mr. Hardie; he is the busiand seal which he displays in the Company's is in charge of mining operations and is a trust-. also try the Australian, so that we are losing

leave free the hands of Messra, Ewart and Brodle to whom we owe a very great deal for the time and attention given to our concerns. Mr. Becher may be able by his presence to induce the to us that Jalis should be continued, but The Colonial Secretary laid on the table papers | we cannot afford to precipitate matters at the present juncture-which cannot continue for work has been done, and we are waiting year to definitely abandon the concession to the

considered, and in conjunction with the Raub company we propose that a fixed rate should be levied; in the meantime we make payments in advance. I am glad to be able to say that we receive every attention and encouragement from the officials of Paliang, though I do not think them sufficiently realize the very hard work Acting Resident has promised all the assistance he can give in furthering our work. It is unfortunate that the state is in such pecuniary difficulties, as nothing is being done towards opening out the country as in the adjoining states, and so alding any mining enterprises. Before consatisfaction at the manner in which Mr. Blamey has carried out his duties as our prospector and mining manager, and I only regret that we had not such a man at a very much earlier date. Before moving the adoption of the report and accounts, I shall be glad to answer any questions to the best of my ability.

There being no questions the Chairman moved that the report and accounts be adopted. Mr. Holmes seconded the motion, which was carried un inimously.

The Chairman said that under the Articles of Association five directors were required, so that they were now one short. He proposed Mr. Fenwick as the new director. Mr. Gillies, seconded the proposition which was carried.

Mr. P. B. Cama proposed, Mr. Skeels seconded, and it was agreed that the retiring directors, Messis, Orange and Woodin, be re-elected. On the motion of the Chairman seconded by Mr. Perry the retiring auditors, Messrs. Henderson and Lyall, were re-elected.

the Chairman said that he wished to very cordially thank Mr. Orange for the able and exhaustive report he had made on the mines and operations of the Company in Pahang. That report had been the outcome of a the Government of India was right in suing the visit in person on behalf of the shareholders, at great personal inconvenience. It was a very authority had been vindicated. different report from those usually presented. on their behalf and their best thanks were due | Chinese waters. to him. A vote of thanks was also due to their representatives in London, for their valuable services in connection with the Pahang Gold Company of London.

Mr. Judah seconded the motion, which was immense tracts of land: carried unanimously.

The Chairman in acknowledging the compilment said that he was very much obliged to them | Parisian bankers in issuing the Russian loan of for their very kind remarks and thought that twenty millions sterling which, it was recently other members of the Board certainly ought to announced, would be raised in France. This is be included. He was only a late comer in the regarded as an additional symptom of peace. affairs of the Company. Mr. Gillies and Davies had worked from the beginning without any the German Press on the proposal to reduce the remuneration whatever, and deserved their best | length of compulsory service in the Army to two thanks. With regard to the affairs of the Com- | years. pany, it must be a considerable gratification to know that for the last five or six months. the London company. There was now some pany by constructing a railway from Mombassa \$20,000 in have and also some \$3,000 or \$4,000 I to Nyanga. at the mines, so that the work had been carried on for about \$5,000. It was hoped that the next Baring, who are at present in England, will start It is said that the failure of her projects for six months would be equally satisfactory. All on their return to Egypt on the oth proximo. their hope depended on the unfortunate London of the London Agents. Those gentlemen were not disposed to err on the side of leniency but as soon as ever they could force the money from the other Company they would do so. In conclusion he again thanked them for their expressions of confidence. . This concluded the business of the meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE.

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COLONEL STORER, R.E., AND THE "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HORGEONG TELEGRAPH."

SIR.-Your article in this evening's issue commenting upon Colonel Storer's action in ordering the discontinuance of the Hongkong Telegraph by the Royal Engineers' non-comofficer's mess is, if a trifle caustic, nothing the jinricksha traffic by establishing a farm, and beyond what the circumstances of these and the Government are taking the necessary steps our usual enterprise and public spirit we got it. similar cases fully justify.

so much to supplement your remarks on this the right direction, remarking that as under the him off. particular case as to sincerely endeavour to I rules the number of 'rickshas is limited to five induce those in authority over us to treat us a hundred, and the work very remunerative, the little more like the staid middle-aged men a licenses are at present sold at high premiums by great many of us are, than as ticket-of-leave men one, licensee to another, and therefore that. when we are not children, and as imbeciles I under the new system, the Government when we are neither. I, Sir, confidently assert will obtain a larger revenue, and better my claim to be as capable of judging between control over the traffic. As we, too, are what is right and what is wrong morally, what interested in the question of licensing and is orthodox and what is heterodox in religion; regulating similar traffic in these parts. a and what is prudent and what is preposterous in similar course to that ado, ted in Hongkong politics as any officer in this Garrison; and I. Sir. may seem to the authorities advisable in our as loyal a soldier as any of them, indignantly case. We however, trust they will do nothing repudiate the intellectual ability of any officer to of the sort. We think the resolution of the say what literature I may read and what shall Hongkong Government a false step. They are he withheld from me. Have the authorities- creating a fresh monopoly, and monopolies of theaven help us I Considering the manner of any kindbate, in their essence, bad policy, and the "goings on" in this Garrison lately the only permissible where the governing authority "nonentities" would be the more accurate is itself hopelessly at fault and where such a expression-ever read history? Major-General course may be looked upon as the lesser of two

Can he quote one single instance of the monopoly system in the East, and to our mind it ultimate success of a persecution directed against | isnothing better than a confession of incapacity or principles, opinions, creeds or doctrines? He an admission of laziness in every case in which cannot. He knows that it is as true as a geome- it is at present permitted. It is a lary and loos: trical definition that persecution is as the very method of Government; it is an unnecessary, breath of life to intellectual freedom in the and therefore wrongful, delegation of functions widest sense of the term. Surely the fatility of to private individuals; it sets up a tribe of attempting to coerce a body of educated, intel- middlemen who have to make their profitligent and responsible men in such a matter as and so a few private individuals get at the this, must be as apparent, as its pitiful fatulty? | expense of the people by means of a tax which, Can our officers not perceive that when they use I if extracted from their pockets at all, should the mere brute force their superior military rank pass entirely into that of Government. The because we insist on pronouncing the word depat Tennyson." endows them with to gratify their own idlosync. opium revenue is a case in point. The Chinese as "daypo," We don't do it to put on airs over An unusually large number of bears are In the Matter of the Petition of PAUL DE racies and personal prejudices and enforce organ, the Lat Pau, shews that while ten the boys, but because it comes perfectly natural noticed this summer in the neighborhood of St. SUSINI, of No. 6, Rue de Sfax, Paris, orders that are so manifestly beyond their millions of dollars roughly are extracted to us. We lived the first twenty years of our Petersburg. This, according to the experience province, so evidently the outcome of a mere from the pockets of the opium-consuming life in Boston, and it comes natural to us to give of old peasants, prognosticates the coming of a province, so evidently the optcome of a mere passing fit of childishly vindicalve irritability, public by the conclusion of every contract under the French accent to our words, as "Henri," and that, in the opinion of every non-commissioned officer in this Garrison, exince, Sir. a disposition singularly at variance with that we upkeep and profits to the farmers, which latter on this account; on the contrary, we think they are taught doth hedge the honour of an officer, baye, as a rule, run facus several hundreds of a gentleman, and an Englishman, they are thousands of dellars to several millions. On using the most effective means of rendering themselves obnoxious and their authority con- Government of Hongkong would have done

Obedience to such unwise orders is given so number of licenses thought navisable is so keen. grudgingly and is accompanied by language so to have raised the fee and so have obtained a menacing to discipline in its disrespect, that any hetter revenue, wherefrom, too, a better staff to officer who permits his private proclivities to supervisa the treffic could have been paid, and influence him so far as to issue such an order. is certainly not fit to occupy a responsible position

in the control of men. know him best, most expect of him that he will yet cry "peccavi," and do a graceful, a generous and a just action by rescinding the obnexious order in regard to the Hongkong Telegraph.

I am, Sir,

Your's etc., Hongkong, 14th October, 1891.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

OTTAWA, September 23rd. A written statement from Mr. Mercier, the Premier of Quebec, has been presented to the Dominion Parliament in which he deplores the acceptance by his Political Agent of money from this company had to undertake in ploneering the Railway Company, and declares he knew mining in the state. Mr. Clifford the able nothing of this until the revelations at the late official enquiry.

ST, PETERSBURG, September 25th. A letter has been received stating that the merchants at Nijni Novgorod report a visit to the fair of Afghan traders who are the bearers of a letter from the Amir, urging the developcluding, I would again like to express my extreme; ment of trade between Russia and Afghanistan. ALLAHABAD, September 25th.

The only possible meaning of the exclusion of Captain Younghusband and Mr. Davision from the Pamirs is that Russia has annexed the debateable region, which hitherto has been quite open to travellers, of all nationalities. The position may at any moment become a critical one, though it is doubtful whether any considerable body of Russ an troops is there.

LONDON, September 26th. The betrothal of the young King Alexander of Servia to Princess Helene of Montenegro will shortly take place. This engagement is looked upon politically as of importance.

September 27th. The Times' Paris correspondent states that Russia and Persia are arranging a treaty for a commercial union from which other Powers are to be excluded, the political clauses of the treaty implying Russian tutelage. There is also a scheme under consideration to unite the Khanates under the hegemony, of Russia so as Mr. Mehta in proposing a vote of thanks to to bring about a federation of Central Asia.

Prince Damrong, of Siam, has gone to Balmoral on a visit to the Queen. The Times, referring to the withdrawal of the proceedings against the Bangobasi, says that

It is reported that Russia is disposed to join and was a plain and unvarnished tale the Powers in taking diplomatic action against of what had been done by the Company. China, though she has no war ships to spare to Mr. Orange had certainly been at great trouble join the naval forces of the other Powers in

> PARIS. September 27th. It is reported here that the Chinese Government has already compensated the Jesuits for the destruction of their missions by granting them BERLIN, September 27th.

A discussion is being ardently carried on by

The bankers of Berlin are joining with

LONDON, September 28th. On the British East Africa Company intimathe Company had been practically paying all its I ting its intention of withdrawing from Uganda expenses. It started with \$28,000 of debenture unless assisted by the Imperial authorities, the capital. It had advanced a small amount to I Times urges the Government to help the Com-

Company. Having no money, they could not steamship Rome, which has just been lengthened afford to precipitate matters, and that was why at Greenock, was discovered be on fire. The the asked-a very thankless office-that they state-rooms and other compartments of the to the lepers would simply wait, and depend on the exertions | vessel were destroyed before the flames were extinguished. The damage, it is estimated, will amount to several thousand pounds. ZANZIBAR. September 28th.

The Government of Zanzibar will shortly be remodelled. The chiefs of departments will be nominated and a definite budget drawn up. The Executive and Revenue control will be in the hands of English officials.

ST. PETERSHURG, September 29th. The statement that a treaty between Russia and Persia for a commercial union is being arranged is denied here.

LONDON, September 29th. Quarantine has been imposed at Alexandria on all arrivals from Bombay.

A JINRICKSHA FARM. to give practical effect to the decision. The Barker is a scholar, a man who has taught men. evils. We have already far too much of the

into the coffers of Government, the rest going in

this jinricksha question, then, we say the behind even if we never get a vote in a caucus. much better, if the competition for the limited

MEN AND WOMEN.

The Queen of Italy has a \$7,000 dress. The Princess of Wales has thirteen wigs. Mme, de Lesseps is forty years younger than

Durch extraction. breakfasts alone. Herbert Spencer, considerably improved in

educated boys in the country, and at fifteen | pull a gun on him. The gun was full of years old is admittedly a marvel in mathematics. water, with a cork drove into the mustle. beth, N. J., the other week, aged eighty-two but we soon brought him around to see that years, was a maid of honor at the court of he could do us a great favor. He went down,

-The -richest- man -in.-Philadelphia-is-A.-J. | yell.- Our esteemed-didn't-wait for any -more.-Drexel, who is worth \$25,000,000. The city has He fell off his chair, rolled out of his back door 160 millionaires, whose total property foots up and brought up in the brush two miles away. over \$400,000,000.

Senator W. D. Washburn of Minnesota, who in that State till he was twenty years old. Secretary Proctor began his official career as

a Selectman. He has passed through about all the grades up to his present position, and now he is going to be a United States Senator. In eighteen months, Miss Kate Smith rose

from a \$60 clerkship under Government to one with a \$1,600 salary. She is the only woman chief of division in the service of the U. S.

Elihu Thomson, the Boston electrician, who is regarded as Edison's most formidable rival, is a slender young man of clear-cut features, a small brown mustache, and wavy brown hair. John Archibald is one of the Standard Oil magnates. He started in as an office boy at Titusville a few years ago. Speculated successpaper, and then stopping the action when its fully as soon as he got hold of a little money. and is to-day worth \$15,000,000.

Thomas Hughes, of "Tom Brown's School Days" fame, is a fairly successful lawyer, with a practice that brings him in about £600 a year. But he has a small private fortune, which probably accounts for his not exerting himself more at the Bar.

. Verdi is seventy-seven years old, and nearly forty years have elapsed since he produced what Owen Meredith describes thus :-Of all the operas Verdi wrote

The best to my taste is Il Trovatore. Count de Montebello, the new French Ambassador to Russla, is a grandson of one of Napoleon's palading, the fearless Lannes-"the bravest of the brave" his master called himbegan life as a dyer's apprentice, and died Duke of Montebello and a Marshal of France.

Marvin Smith of Montville, Conn., who is one hundred and seven years old, remembers seeing the first steamhoat, the Fulton, when she made a trip up the Thames in 1917. He also draws a pension for service in the War of 1812, and has voted at every Presidential election since 1808, except the last one.

Sister Rose Gertrude, whose endeavor at emulation of Father Damien excited much interest eighteen months ago, is living quietly in Major-General Greensell and Sir Evelyn Honolulu, with her German husband, Dr. Lutz. aiding the leners is partly attributable to the This morning the Peninsular and Oriental justiousy of the German and American residents of Honolulu, who resented the fact of a woman coming from England to teach them their duty

> ITEMS FROM THE ARIZONA KICKER.

ILLUSTRATING PLEASURES OF JOURNALISM IN THE WILD WEST.

We must beg the indulgence of our readers for | courses at fashionable dinners is about to be coming out on a half-sheet this week, but the I tried. kicking, but we can assure them that no charge | year. of the kind can be laid at our door.

Abe Carter, over on the hill. We didn't want to life, was in Paris, dying of hunger; she sent him go, but Abe made it a personal matter, declaring I 500f. that he wouldn't hang unless we were present to | . The budget of the State issued at Rome for kick the barrel away. He died happy.

Our neighbours in Hongkong have resolved the would shoot us on sight. Jim is a bad man, to meet the difficulty of regulating and licensing but he wont lie. We knew he meant business, Berlin, two cavalry officers reached the goal just and we had a plan to get the drop on him. With seven minutes shead of two infantry officers Some of the crowd wanted us to finish him, but as

On Wednesday our esteemed contemporary sixty-four have died. went out to our private grave-yard and attempted The Salvation Army matches are having a tojump our claim and have something to point to brisk sale in England now. The output is when asked what he had ever done for this com- | already 2,000 gross a week, and this is to be munity. We drave him off, but it consumed multiplied twentyfold. valuable time just the same.

On Thursday Colonel Jackson, the founder of | into Servia is coal oil. There are at present the new town of Red Hot, called to see us about 1 3,000 coo kilograms of kerosene in the port of a page advertisement. During the misunder- | Odessa ready for export. standing over rates he shot us through the in his leg to be probed for when he got home. -

On Friday Major Larkins started to begin a jowing to the lack of funds. and unless inflammation sets in he will recover. On Saturday fifteen of the cowboys belonging to General Stover's ranch came over to see us They had several ropes along. When they got I treatment in Germany because of the disregard here we were off on a fishing excursion. They or Ignorance of German laws by American "pled" the four-page form and shot our gray inventors. mule, but did not have as pleasant a time as if

we had been home.

as our coming out on a half-page again will probably never be heard of. We shall issue an by Darwin, extra supplement next week to make up for it. "IT'S DAYPO."-We understand that Big Jim Henderson is trying to work up a feeling among | for some time, but every one may not have heard! the boys against our nomination as Mayor | that the milk cans are marked "Alfred, Lord;

this system, but three millions of this sum go for Henry, "Cholly," for Charley, etc., etc. We don't believe the boys will go back on us will rather feel proud of us. It's "daypo" propose to wear our shirts with the buttons

Errota.-Last week we had a local item which we are convinced did an injustice to the gental Tomahawk Brown, proprietor of the saloon on Mexico avenue, known as "Murderers' Delight." Theitem was to the effect that Mr. Brown had shot the direct coptrol of the authorities thus old Joe the half-bred, because the latter beat him annual mortality has fallen from 30.06 to 25.6 still have been maintained. With us the plan out of the drinks shaking dice, and we advised | per thousand, the change being especially is to limit the number, to fix the fee at a proper | the boys to give the shooter a feed of rope. Mr. | noticeable in the preservation of infant life. Colonel Storer has, it is asserted, been pery limit, to license only the vehicle, making the Brown called upon us yesterday and subscribed an efficient supervisory staff. It is hopeless to liar seven or eight times. We are entirely expect the Police to be of any assistance. And satisfied that he had any amount of provocation. the same staff that controls the vickshas should and we only wonder that he did not shoot the supervise the whole of the backney carriage aged Joseph bang through the right lung and kill traffic, and then we should perhaps have fewer him on the spot. Mr. Brown's advertisement theidea by connecting the hospitals of the locality gharry races in clowded thoroughfares to the also appears in this issue. He is one of those to Christ Church, the centre of the experiment.

AT LAST.—For over a year past our esteemed contemporary has ached for somebody to shoot | 120

who carries a gun, but the boys only laughed at Snurgeon's parents were humble people of him. He couldn't even get anybody to; sue him for libel. This state of affairs has rankled in his .. Tolstoi cats a raw onion on riving... Then he bosom until even his old yellow dog got disgusted

We are always willing to oblige, Knowing health, is once more hard at work on his how badly our esteemed was bankering after a little glory, we gave Mountain Mike half a The young King of Servia is one of the best | dollar to go down there the other day and Mrs. Elizabeth Beatty, who died near Eliza -- Mike had come to have a shot at us, kicked open the shanty door and uttered a

Mike didn't even get the revolver off his hip. Our esteemed returned to telegraph a column who is said to be the biggest flour-producer in account of the "Attempted Assassination of a the world, is a Maine man and worked on a farm | Prominent Arizona Editor," but it didn't wash here. He never ought to have left Oblo.-Mi QUAD in the N. Y. World.

NEWS AND GOSSIP.

The Prince of Wales is insured for \$800,000. France has been troubled with a plague of

Gold is at a premium in Italy, and the deficit There are now 108 women Poor Law guardians

There is a newspaper in London which printed with scented ink. The Prince of Wales is ambitious to race his new yacht in American waters.

An underground cable is being laid to connect Important German fortifications. The Rothschilds at Frankfort-on-the-Main. pay to the city \$83,000 annual taxes.

The proposed ship canal between the Firth of Forth and the Clyde has been revived. Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria has ordered \$1,000,000 worth of cannon from Krupp.

There are 300 newspapers published in Fleet Street, London, eleven of which are dailies. Russian newspapers say the Czar fears no war on account of the Dardanelles incident. The Austrian Archduke Francis will shortly be betrothed to Princess Sophle of Bavaria. A scheme by French engineers to bridge the

Bosphorus is under consideration by Turkey. The theosophy fad is infecting London society widely, and a mission to America is talked of. About twenty-five thousand people are killed every year in India by wild beasts and reptiles.

The mother of the Empress of Austria, the oldest royal personage in Europe, is eighty-three. Miss Ethel Griggs, a young American lady has achieved a decided success at Berlin as

A ccoperative home for single women is to be started in Vienna. Each will have a share in the bousekeeping.

Lord Salisbury has made twenty-one new peers since he has been in office, besides raising the rank of several others. A great outcry is being raised in Finland

against the recent introduction of the Russian language into the schools of that country. M. Ader of Paris, after expending more than \$100,000 on a flying machine, has produced one

in which he flew about one hundred wards. Russian merchants want their Government to abolish its free ports on the Black river, in Asia, Chemist can supply it.- [Adul. and remove an element of foreign competition. It is announced in London that a novelty in the form of five minutes' recitations between

matter was positively beyond our control. Had | Official returns show that Great Britain's we been drunk, the same as our contemporary | exports declined to the extent of about \$10,000,000 often is, we should not blame our subscribers for I in August as compared with the same month last

Ex. Queen Isabel of Spain heard the other day On Monday we had to attend the lynching of I that a Spaniard, who had once tried to take her

the past year shows a deficit of \$18,000,000, an On Tuesday Jim Cummins sent us word that | increase of one quarter over what was expected. In a recent race of thirty-two miles, near

mounted on bleycles. Since the Pasteur Institute for the cure of My object in writing to you, however, is not Hongkong Dally Press con iders this a step in he promised to go hence and stay there we let hydrophobia was established in Paris in 1886 there have been 9,430 patients treated, of whom

The principal article of export from Russia

The Italian Government has announced that thumb of the right hand, and we left two bullets I it is obliged to stop the building of the Victor Emmanuel, monument on the Capitoline Hill

\$50,000 libel suit against us. It took us two 14 The Marquis of Aylesbury has the bestowal hours to hunt him up and discourage him. He of eleven ecclesiastical "livings," as they are is doing as well as circumstances will permit, called, and the equally notorious Lord Lonsdale

has the bestowal of forty-three. Many important American patents have been cancelled and more are likely to suffer the same

Sally, the interesting chimpanzee of the Zoological Gardens, London, has departed this The above are our excuses, and such a thing life. She could count up to seven, had a large acquaintance, and had often been interviewed

The fact that the Poet Laureate owns a milk; "walk" in the Isle of Wight has been known

severe winter, a plant and a property of the second Continental rules for lawn tennis, which is

becoming popular, are very rigid in regard to costume. At Wiesbaden a man cannot play without a collar to his shirt. Bare arms are though, whether they stick or slide; and we looked upon with distavor. It is estimated that the treasure lying idle in

India in the shape of heards of ornaments

smounts to £350,000,000. A competent authority calculates that "in Amritsar city alone there are jewels to the value of £2,000,000 sterling." The population of Italy has grown in thirty PAUL DE SUSINI by HENRY LARDNER years from 21,777,333 to 30,000,000, while the

A murderer in Mecklenburg ten minutes susded into countenancing this most unwise owner responsible for its condition and for the for the Kicker for one year. He explained that before his execution choked the clergyman, put those who behaviour of the puller as regards traffic regula- he only shot old Joe in the leg anyhow, and he on his long black coat, dashed out, and mixed. And Notice is also hereby given that a Sitting tion and from the revenue scalised to maintain | didn't do that until after he had been called a among the officials around the scaffold. He had almost reached the gate when he was caught. It is said that the experiment of the telephonic sion, will be held in the Council Chamber at the church service has proved so successful in Birmingham, that it is now proposed to develop

Intimations.

about it and telegraph a big item to the Denver FURNISHING DEPARTMENTS. Papers, He has abused every man in the town

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Hongkong, 12th October, 1891.

people in a corresponding position in Germany are as anxious to live in houses of their own, and a company has just been formed in Berlin to

first mountain railroad built in France. The It will be 5-7 of a mile long, and will be fitted

It was declared at a meeting of the Ceylon Tea Planters' Association in Colombo, that there | ATTACHED TO EOTHEN LODGE OF are now 230,000 acres of land planted with tea in the colony; an increase of nearly (40,000) acres duting the last two years. Seventy million bounds will be Cevion's product in 1804 The Russian Minister of Education, in conjunction with the Minister of the Interior, has ING, the 15th instant, at 8.30 for 9 o'clock issued a circular prohibiting. Jawish children precisely. whose parents live in Russia on foreign pass-

scholastic term. Chauncey Depew is quoted in a New York' World special from London as saving: " I find the financial situation far better than has been represented in America. Money is an absolute drug in the market and has no interest value as a deposit. I have it on the highest authority that all the stories concerning financial disasters pending heavy failures have no foundation and none of these prophecies of evil will pan out."

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Hongkong, 15th October, 1801. IN THE MATTER OF ORDINANCES 14 OF 1862, 2 OF 1889, AND 6 OF 1890,

Medicine, for LETTERS PATENT

TOTICE is hereby given that the Petition, L Specification, and Declaration required by the above Ordinances have been duly filed in the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong and that it is the intention of the said DENNYS, his duly authorised Agent and Attorney, to apply at the Sitting of the Executive Council hereinafter mentioned for Letters

of the Executive Council, before whom the matter of the said Petition will come for deci-Government Officet, Victoria, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 29th instant, at II A.M.

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"ARARAT" LODGE OF ROYAL ARK MARINERS.

MARK MASTERS, No. 264, E.C. EMERGENCY MEETING of the

MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVEN-Hongkong, 15th October, 1801.

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REGULAR CONVOCATION of the

above Chapter, will be held in the FREE-

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> Hongkong, 15th October, 1801. Some SPECIAL NOTICE.

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ports to be admitted into any of the middle or higher institutions of learning for the ensuing

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of cargo are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 10th instant, will be landed at consignees risk and expense into Messry, N. Mody and Company's

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premlum, buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E-14 per cent.

Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$95 pc share, buyers. China Traders' Insurance Company-\$63 per

share, sellers. North China Insurance—Tis. 255 per share,

Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$107 per share, buyers. Yangteze Insurance Association-Tis.

On Tal Insurance Company, Limited-Tis. 150 per share.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company -\$312} per share, sellers. China Fire Insurance Company-\$86 per share,

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.-\$35} per share, buyers.

China and Manila Steam Ship Company-57 per share, sales and buyers.

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited -271 per cent. discount, sales and buyers. Douglas Steamship Company-\$38 per share,

The Steam Launch Co., Limited-nominal, Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company-\$78

per cent. premium, sales. Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited-\$13 per share, Hongkong Hotel Company-265 per share,

Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per-ceat, Debentures

The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited—\$10 per share, buyers. The Peak Hotel and Trading Co., Limited-\$3 per share, sellers. -

The Shameen Hotel Co., Limited-nominal. Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Co. -\$3 per share, sellers.

The Raub Gold Mining Co., Limited \$0.50 per share, sellers. Impris Mining Co., Limited-\$73 per share,

The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited-\$2 per share, nominal.

Tonquin Coal Mining Co. \$345 , per share, The Jeiebn Mining and Trading Co., Limited-

\$41 per share, sollers. The Selama Tin Mining Co., Limited-40 cents per share, sellers.

Lendon and Pacific Petroleum Co., Ld.—£12, China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$176 "per share, buyers. '

Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$54 per share, buyers.

A. S. Watson & Co., Limited \$20 per share,

Cruickshank & Co., Limited-\$10 per share, Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$7 per

share, sellers, The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited-'\$13 per share, sellers. :

The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited-\$73 per share, sellers. The West Point Buildings Co., Limited-\$26

per share, sellers, The Labuk Planting Co., Limited-\$10 per

share, sellers. The China-Borneo Co., Limited—\$10 per share,

H. G. Brown & Co., Limited—\$48 per skare, sellers.

Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company-\$69 per share, sellers.

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited-\$98 per sliare, sellers. Hongkong Gas Company \$131 per share,

Hongkong Ice Company—\$84 per share, sellers.

Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited

The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited, - \$12 per share, sellers,

The Green Island Cement Co .- \$10 per share sellers. .The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited-\$41 per share, sellers.

The Hongkong Steam, Laundry Co., Limited-\$25 per share, nominal, were The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co.

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THE FRENCH MAIL. The Mossageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer expected here on the 35st instant.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer China, with the American mail of the 26th, ultimo, Yokohama on the rath instant at daylight, and may be expected here on the 19th.

THE CANADIAN MAIL The Canadian Pacific Steamship Co. steamer Empress of China left Vancouver for Japan on the afternoon of the 4th instant.

STRAMERS EXPECTED.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Brindish from London, left Singapore on the 11th instant at 4 p.m., and is due here on the 17th. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s -steamer Gwaller from Bombay, left Singapore on the 12th instant, and is due here on the 18th. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Thibes left

Bombay on the 14th Instant, and may expected here on the gret. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Bombay left London for this port on the 4th instant.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOG**ICAL** REGISTER.

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W. Donasacze. Hougkong Observatory, 15th October, 1891.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(From Messra, Geo, Palconer & Co.'s Register,

Thermometer—A p.m. (do).
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Shipping.

Siehan, British steamer, 845, E. F. Stovell, 14th Oct.,-Salgon roth October, General. Kin Tye Loong. LOO SOK, British steamer, 1,014, A. Benson, 14th

October, Bangkok 7th October, Rice. Scottish Oriental S. S. Co. YUKNEANG, British steamer, 1,150, J. Slessar, 14th, Matheson & Co.

EDENDALE, British steamer, 1,566, R. Humphrey, 15th October, Kutchinotsu 9th October, Coals.—Mitsui Bussan Kaishis. V

PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,012, J. A. Morris, 15th October, -Soursbaya 5th October, Sugar,-Butterfield &

FIDELIO, German steamer, 852, H. Brorsen, 15th October,-Newchwang 8th October, and Chefoo oth, General.—Malchers & Co. ORION, Austro-Hungarian steamer, 7,833, A.

Orlando, '19th Oct.,-Bombay 24th Sept., and Singapore 8th October, General D. Satroon, Sons & Co. TAIVICK, German steamer, 902, N. H. Emcke,

13th Oct.,-Newchwang 7th October, and Chefoo oth, Beans and General.—Mirrer JAPAN, British steamer, 1,865, J. G. Olifent r5th Oct.,—Calcutta 20th Sept., and Singa

pore oth Oct., Opium and General. D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. " CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Hebe, Norwegian steamer, for Bangkok.

Formosa. British steamer, for Swatow, &c. Zafiro, British steamer, for Amoy, &c.

DEPARTURES. October 15, Frefr, British str., for Hoihow, &c. October 15, Swatow, British str., for Chefoe.

October 15, Yuensang, British str., for Canton. October 15, Robilla, British steamer, for Singapore, &c. October 15, Electra, German str., for Singapore.

October 15, Zafiro, British str., for Amoy, &c. October 15, Kwangles, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. October 15, Wustan, German steamer, for Sin-

PARSENGERS—ARRIVED.

Per Fidello, str., from Newchwang, &c.-4 Per Siskan, str., from Salgon.—So Chinese. Per Orlon, str., from Bombay, &c.4-154

Chinese. Per Japan, str., from Calcutta, &c.-Mr. John M. Gaselee, 276 Chinese, 20 women and 3 DEPARTED. Per Robilla, str., from Hongkong for Singa-

pore.—Messrs, Rothermundt and J. Masterson. For Colombo .-- Mrs. Hall, Mr. Went: Pelle, and 2 Europeans (deck). For London.-MissoR. Toesland, and M. Sandford. For London wis 'N. Marselles .-- Mr. A. Hendley. For Marselles .--Mr. T. Bilber. From Japan for Singapore.
Mrs. Mishidi Fumi. For Colombo. Mr. A. Cronnise. For London .-- Messes C. Riggs and J. Hodder. From Shanghal for Post Mala-Natel, with the French mall of the 18th ultimo, left Singapore to-day at 6 p.m., and may be Meers, J. Ward, R.N., C. Macreadie, W. W. King, and W. C. King

The British steamship Loo Son reports that

she left Bangkok on the 7th instant. Had and moderate weather throughout. The British steamship Swham reports that she left Salgon on the 10th instant. easterly wind and north-east swell. The British steamship Phra Chula Chom

Klas reports that she left Sourabaya on the 5th instant. Had light variable winds to port. The German steamship Talyice reports that she left Newchwang on the 7th instant, and Chelos on the 9th. Had light winds and fine

The German steamship Flacko reports that she left Newchwang on the 8th instant, and Chefoo on the oth. Had very light winds and The British steamship Edendale reports that

she left Kutchinotru on the 9th instant. Had light northerly airs and calms with five weather throughout the entire passage." "The British steamship Japan reports that she left Calcutte on the 20th ultime, and Singapore on the 9th instant ; thence to arrival experienced

throughout.

Office.

light north-east winds and fine weather

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per Ancona to-morrow, the 16th instant, at 11.30

For Singapore, Penang, and Calcutta Chelydra to-morrow, the 16th instant, at 11.30 For Shanghal.—Per Kwangles to-morrow, the 16th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

For Bangkok.—Per Somdeich Phra Nang on Saturday, the 17th Instant, at 9.30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Tamsul-Per Smith on Saturday, the 17th Instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—Per Collingham on Tuesday, the 20th instant, at 11.30 A.M.

_SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ACTIV, Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom, 11th Oct.,-Halphong oth Oct., General .-- Amhold, Karberg & Co.

Incona, British steamer, 1,888, W. D. Mudie 12th Oct.,—Yokohama 7th Oct., Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

BANTAM, Dutch steamer, L. van der Valk, 12th Oct.,—Singapore 5th October, General.— Jardine, Matheson & Co. CHELYDRA, British steamer, 1,509, R. Cass.

oth Oct.,—Calcutta 23rd Sept., and Singa

pore 3rd Oct., General.-Jardine, Matheson CHOW-CHOW-TOO, German steamer, 796, Clausen, 7th Oct.,-Swatow 6th October General.—Melchers & Co.

CHOWFA, British steamer, 1,057, F. W. Phillips, rith Oct.,-Bangkok 3rd Oct., Rice and General.—Scottish Oriental S. S. Co. Collingham, British steamer, 1,540, G. W. Watson, 26th Sept. - Kutchinotsu 20th

Coals.—Mitsul Bustan Kaishis. FAME, British steamer, 117, Lleut. Wm. G. Comley, R.N.R.-Hongkong Government

FORMOSA, British steamer, 674, T. Hall, 14th October,—Tamsul 8th Oct., Amoy 10th, and Swatow 13th, General,—Douglas Lapraik GARLIC, British steamer, 4,209, Pearce, 8th

hams 3rd October, Mails and General.--- (GUY MANNERING, British steamer, 1,889, D. Ford, 10th October,-Foochow 9th Oct., General.—Dodwell, Carlill & Co.

HEBE, Norwegian steamer, 1,619, F. W. Clausen, 8th Oct.,—Batoum (Russia) 30th August, Petroleum.—Arnhold, Karberg

KWANGLER, Chinese steamer, 1,508, R. L. Lincoln, 14th Oct.,-Canton 14th, October, General.—C. M. S. N. Co. Oct.,-Wuhu oth October, Rice.-Jardine, PARTHIA, British steamer, 2,035, Jno. Panton,

R.N.R., 17th Sept.,-Vancouver 20th Aug.; Yokohama 4th Sept., and Shanghai 9th; General.—Dodwell, Carlill & Co. PILOT FISH, British steamer, 151, A. Stopani.— Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co.

POLLUX, German str., 898, H. Hellmers, 9th Oct.,—Saigon 4th Oct., Rice and General.— Melchers & Co.

SMITH, Chinese steamer, 705, H. Leffler, 14th Oct. Swatow 13th October, General,-Saunders & Co. SOMDETCH PHRA NAMO, British steamer, 1,057, R. Jones, 8th October,—Bangkok 29th Sept., and Koh-si-chang and Oct.; Rice and General.-Yuen Fat Hong.

Toomak, Chinese steamer, 938, J. Warwick, 14th Oct.,—Shanghal 11th Oct., General.— C. M. S. N. Co. ZAMBESI, British steamer, 1,564, Edwards, 9th October,-Portland, Oregon, and Sept., General.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

RAILING VERRELS.

A. H. SMITH, American ship, 1,452, Chas. S. Kendall, 12th Sept.,—New York 21st May, Kerosens Oil.—Hewett & Co. Brrrent, British barque, 383. John Stronach.

agth Sept., -- Freemantle aust August, Sandalwood.-Jarding, Matheson & Co. CHARLES S. WHITING, British ship, 1,651, J. W. Carey, 11th October, Shanghal 1st Oct., General.—Reuter, Brockelmann & Co.

ERLEGENIO, Chinese bark, 457, Optum Examine-tion hulk, Stonecutiers Island.—Chinesa EMMA P. CROWELL. American bank, 1,086, A. S Pendleton, 20th Sept. Shanghal 19th

September, Ballast.—Showan & Co. HARVARD, American bark, 986, L. A. Colcord, 27th August, Shanghal 17th August, Ballast. Order, of the said of the Hot

MARIA, Spanish schooner, 51, Francisco Oloneo, oth July, Mitnils 18th June, Ballast.—Master. MARY L. STOME, American ship, 1,423, C. C. Paul, 3rd October,—New York 21st May,

Government officials. Kerosene Oll. W. Hewett & Co. MARIE BERG, German bark, 536, H. Hindrichs, 26th August - Whampon 25th August General-Wieler & Co.

VAM-SHUM-SHING, Chinese 3-m. schooner, 245, Sept., Wood.-Yong Kee. PENDLETON, American ship, 1,385, J. N. Pendleton, 23rd August,—New York 19th April, Kerosene Oil.—Shewan & Co.

THERMOPYLE, Canadian ship, 948, J. R. Win-"Clester, 14th Oct .- Nammer, B.C., 13th August, Coals -- Dodwell, Carilli & Co. M. LE LACHEUR, British benk, 179, W. Reynell, ofth September,—Laguinmenoc (Philippines), 3rd Sept., Timber,—Gibb, Liftspress & Co. Mails.

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